

LISTED WILDLIFE SPECIES IN BIG CYPRESS NATIONAL PRESERVE

COMMON NAME	SCIENTIFIC NAME	DESIGNATED STATUS	
		FWS	STATE
Florida tree snail	<i>Liguus fasciatus</i>		SSC
Common snook	<i>Centropomus undecimalis</i>		SSC
American alligator	<i>Alligator mississippiensis</i>	T (S/A)	SSC
Eastern indigo snake	<i>Drymarchon corais couperi</i>	T	T
Roseate spoonbill	<i>Ajaia ajaja</i>		SSC
Cape Sable seaside sparrow	<i>Ammodramus maritimus mirabilis</i>	E	E
Limpkin	<i>Aramus guarauna</i>		SSC
White-crowned pigeon	<i>Columba leucocephala</i>		T
Little blue heron	<i>Egretta caerulea</i>		SSC
Reddish egret	<i>Egretta rufescens</i>		SSC
Snowy egret	<i>Egretta thula</i>		SSC
Tri-colored heron	<i>Egretta tricolor</i>		SSC
White ibis	<i>Eudocimus albus</i>		SSC
Arctic peregrine falcon	<i>Falco peregrinus tundrius</i>		E
Florida sandhill crane	<i>Grus canadensis pratensis</i>		T
American oystercatcher	<i>Haematopus palliatus</i>		SSC
Bald eagle	<i>Haliaeetus leucocephalus</i>	T	T
Wood stork	<i>Mycteria americana</i>	E	E
Osprey	<i>Pandion haliaetus</i>		SSC
Brown pelican	<i>Pelecanus occidentalis</i>		SSC
Red-cockaded woodpecker	<i>Picoides borealis</i>	E	T
Snail kite	<i>Rostrhamus sociabilis</i>	E	E
Black skimmer	<i>Rynchops niger</i>		SSC
Least tern	<i>Sterna antillarum</i>		T

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Florida panther	<i>Puma concolor coryi</i>	E	E
Mountain lion	<i>Puma concolor</i>	T (S/A)	
Everglades mink	<i>Mustela vison evergladensis</i>		T
Big Cypress fox squirrel	<i>Sciurus niger avicennia</i>		T
West Indian manatee	<i>Trichechus manatus</i>	E	E
Florida black bear	<i>Ursus americanus floridanus</i>		T

E = "Endangered Species" is any species which is in danger of extinction throughout all or a significant portion of its range.

T = "Threatened Species" is any species which is likely to become an endangered species within the foreseeable future throughout all or a significant portion of its range.

SSC = "Species of Special Concern" is any species that warrants special attention because it is vulnerable to exploitation or environmental changes and has experienced long-term population declines.

S/A = "Similarity of Appearance" is any species that is protected because it closely resembles a listed species.